GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2186
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AAIS DUES WITH U.P. AIRWAYS
BALIRAM

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether UP Airways (private airlines) and its Directors owe Rs. 50 crores to Airports Authority of India (AAI);

(b) if so, whether the above amount has been recovered; and

(c) if not, the steps taken by the Government for recovery of the amount?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) :- No, Sir. UP Airways have dues of approximately Rs. 35lacs against the security deposit of Rs. 5 lacs. The dues have accumulated mainly due to parking charges on their two aircrafts parked at Rajkot Airport and Delhi Airport since 1998.

(b) :- The party has been advised to clear the dues.

(c) :- The party has requested for permission to repair/fly their aircraft for obtaining fitness certificate from DGCA.They have been advised to clear the dues first before seeking permission to do so.